



# American Legion CARL A. Johnson Post # 2 Bits and Pieces

## August 2017

29<sup>th</sup> JULY Fun time for our Veterans at the Veterans Home “**Veterans Carnival**” starts at 11am ends at 3 pm, if you wish to help out at our tent, contact Don at 616-802-0806. Every year we find it rewarding to see so many smiles from the residents. The Post and Our Auxiliary have a spot in this activity. Join us or come visit and see what’s up. See attached map.

7 - 9 August is a Scheduled Texas Holdem at the East Brook Lanes off 28th Street. 3:30 to about midnight. Need 3 Volunteers for each night. POC is Bill Brinkman 616-866-0093.

9 August 6:30 pm Euchre at the Boat and Canoe.

**Post 2 Picnic 2:00 PM. 13 August 2017 @ Boat and Canoe (but no Post Meeting on 9 August). Ya just need to attend this. Meet new members, reunite with members past and present, recognize accomplishments, and relate some of your Post history with us. We need to document some of our history and take part in the upcoming 100th Legion Birthday in 2019. Bring a dish, the family, and enjoy this day with all of us. POC is Don 616-802-0806.**

The Post has **Building Watch** in August. Presently there is one dance on the calendar, 26 August. Do we have any volunteers Need at least two people to cover the open to the public dance ( Check Id, collect cover charge, and do the 50 - 50 activity; hours 6:30 pm - to about 9/9:30 pm.). Contact Don F at 616-802-0806 so we can put you on the schedule. Thank You in advance. :)

**WILWIN OF CYGNET COVE**

**3383 EAST HOLLY RD.**

**CUSTER, MI.49405 Willwin at Cygnet Cove is on E. HAWLEY RD.**

**Not Holly Rd. ( south on Custer rd from Custer to Hawley rd. ,  
turn east on Hawley rd. and Wilwin is on the south side of Hawley rd.**

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**FREE CONCERT OPEN HOUSE**

**BRING YOUR OWN CHAIRS**

AMERICAN LEGIONS OWN RESORT OPEN TO ALL VETERANS  
MAIN GOAL HELPING VETERANS COMING HOME WITH PTSD AND OTHER DISABILITIES  
CHECK THEM OUT ON FACEBOOK AND THEIR WEB PAGE  
<http://www.wilwin.org/>

August 12 430 pm until 7 pm or until the food is gone, **258 is having a Pig Roast**. Cost is \$10. The Pig Roast is in support of the 258 Post Picnic and their **Auxiliary member Deb Williamson who is running for Department of Michigan President 2018-2019**.

18 August 2017, To honor and thank those Veterans from the Vietnam War. **Please join the Sophie deMarsac Campau Chapter, NSDAR** For our Third Annual 50th Anniversary Vietnam War Commemorative Event. To honor and thank those Veterans from the Vietnam War Friday, August 18th, 2017 5 - 7 PM , The Boat & Canoe Club. Vietnam Veterans and their spouse are welcome FREE OF CHARGE All other guest \$5.00

No RSVP is required

20 August 12 pm - 2 pm Roast Beef Dinner at the Boat and Canoe, believe it is still just \$10 per and GOOD ! :)

25 August 5:30 pm is the SAL famous Burger Night, just have to have one.....maybe two.

25-27 August Veterans Coyote Hunt, a hunting get away for Veterans. **RSVP** with Russ or Dean by **Aug 20** @ 231-468-7218, 989-274-4563. See attached flier.

27August 2 PM, **Post Annual Planning and Budget Meeting**. All Board Members should attend and Post Members are welcome to attend and provide input. Another year and a Better year.

The ALBCCC is projecting Membership Appreciation Day Saturday **September 16**, 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm. A Pig Roast is planned with members to bringing a dish to pass. Activities for the young are being plan as well a dance starting at 7:00 pm. A fun time for all.

Be Well and Be Safe.